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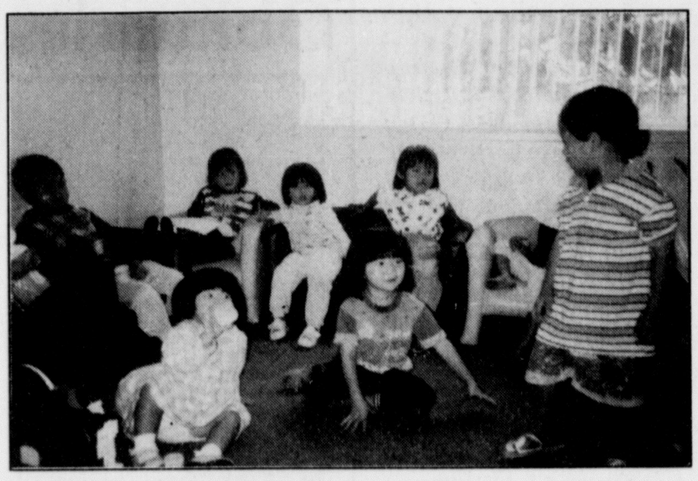
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About Town:

## Southeast Asians adjust to new life in West Sac

**By Daryl Fisher**
**Features Editor**



MIEN and HMONG YOUNGSTERS at pre-school in West Sacramento

The war in Vietnam came to its sad conclusion almost 25 years ago, but for numerous Southeast Asians, the upheaval it caused in their daily lives continues to this very day. As in all wars, there was a lot of what the military often refers to as 'collateral damage' during the fighting in Vietnam, including the destabilization of neighboring Laos and Cambodia, which served as the western border of the conflict.

When America's longest war officially ended in 1975, homeless refugees from all over Southeast Asia began pouring into makeshift, overcrowded relocation camps in Thailand and Malaysia. The lucky ones eventually found new homes in often faraway places, including West Sacramento.

"We have quite a large Mien and Hmong population in West Sacramento," said Sister Cora Salazar, who has spent the past five years working with hundreds of Southeast Asian refugee families. "With the help of Cyndi Thompson, a wonderful teacher in the Washington Unified School District, a three-year federally funded education program called the Family English Literacy Project was established in our community to help these very nice people adapt to their new surroundings. Although the funding has run out, we have continued to find as many new ways as possible to assist the Mien and Hmong in becoming good citizens. The world they have always known is very different from ours and they need as much help as we can give them in adjusting to the way things are done in America. They desperately want to be good, productive citizens who can provide for their families, but they don't always know how to go about it. Learning English was the logical place to start and now their children are doing very well in both preschool and classrooms throughout the school district."

In the beginning, the local Mien and Hmong refugees weren't all that excited about participating in the new programs.

"Many of them were scared and would hardly step outside of their apartments," explained Sister Cora. "Their

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Immigrants hard at work creating a vegetable garden near Evergreen Elementary School

## Early morning arrest nets property stolen locally

**By Steve Marschke**
**News-Ledger Editor**

West Sacramento police may have to schedule a day for local burglary victims to come down to headquarters and try to identify their missing property: a pair of arrests early Monday morning led to the recovery of stolen goods from perhaps "20 to 25" local home and car burglaries.

At about 4:30 a.m. Monday, an officer saw two suspicious subjects wearing dark clothing on the 600-block of Todhunter Ave. Contacting them near their pickup truck, the officer saw "in plain sight" a toolbox with the name of a West Sacramento Police Dept. "VIP" volunteer on it. The volunteer had been burglarized several days earlier.

There was also a variety of other stereo equipment in the truck, a stolen cell phone and other goods.

The two men were arrested. They were Jonathan Caleb Ray Davis, 18, and Aaron Patrick Medeirus, 19, both of West Sacramento.

A concealed firearm was also found in the vehicle.

"We found over a hundred pieces of property," said Lt. David Farmer of the West Sacramento Police Dept. "We believe they were from about 20 to 25 burglaries over the past few months involving vehicles, a few residences and a few garages."

Farmer added that although some of the property has been identified, the department may set up a day to invite burglary victims to visit headquarters and look for items they are missing which haven't been identified.

## Cops honored for fighting auto theft in West Sacramento



Sgt. Derek Brummett, Officer Jason Winger, Officer Adam Wittkins and Officer Sean Saylor. Officer Jose Zuniga, fellow award-winner, is not pictured.

Five West Sacramento police officers were honored Dec. 10 jointly by the California Highway Patrol and California State Automobile Association for their part in fighting auto theft. The officers met a minimum requirement for the number of vehicle theft arrests and the number of abandoned, stolen vehicle recoveries needed to qualify for the "10851 CVC" program started by the two agencies.

The program is named after the section of the vehicle code related to automobile theft.

Sgt. Derek Brummett and officers Jose Zuniga, Adam Wittkins, Jason Winger and Sean Saylor received the awards in a ceremony at the local police station.

## Port expects less business into '99

■ Asian economic woes and loss of some rice business to Benicia will crimp port's profits; port plans new offices as part of Industrial Blvd. complex

**By Steve Marschke**
**News-Ledger Editor**

After a several-year period of modest profits, the Port of Sacramento expects to take a financial loss of an undetermined amount in the current fiscal year. Partly to blame are slowed U.S. exports to Asian markets and the loss to Benicia of a contract to handle about 50,000 tons of rice bound for Japan.

"That's 50,000 tons out of about 170,000," said John Sulpizio, director of the port. "The loss of 50,000 tons is an approximate $500,000 loss to us."

Benicia gained the right to handle the shipments when the California Pacific Rice Mill decided to withdraw its rice from a brokerage deal and negotiate its shipments independently -- choosing Benicia.

"There's no single word that works well here," Sulpizio commented on the choice. "It's the result of fierce competition to supply this rice (to Japan) and the fear of congestion here at the port. It has nothing to do with the quality of our services and facilities."

The $500,000 loss from the rice trade will impact the projected $150,000 in profits expected at the Port of Sacramento in fiscal year 1998-99, he added. Also to be reckoned with are weak Asian markets which have slowed U.S. exports of other commodities handled by the port, including wood chips, logs, wheat, safflower and corn.

"As of the end of November, our tonnage overall is lagging about 25 percent from last year," Sulpizio commented. "We're down in wood chips about 33 percent, which I think is a direct result of the economics in Japan."

The Port of Sacramento -- which is owned by a tax district including Sacramento County and eastern Yolo County -- posted a profit of about $150,000 last year, and has been in the black in other recent years. But Sulpizio said the institution is "posting losses for the year to date" and coming months will prove whether the fiscal year

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*Christmas Basket update:*

## Project serves meals to over 3,000

**By Steve Marschke**
**News-Ledger Editor**

The chairperson of the annual West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project reports the efforts once again were a success.

"I don't have an exact number, but we gave out around 850 food baskets -- about the same as last year," said Helena Helmold. "The difference was that this year the family sizes were bigger -- the baskets served about 3,100 people."

The project served needy people by providing holiday baskets of food items appropriate for each recipient's family size. Over 1,600 children among the recipients each received a toy as well.

The baskets were passed out early last week at the I.L.W.U. Hall in West Sacramento's Broderick area to the recipients, who had signed up in advance. About 50 volunteers helped distribute the baskets over two days at the union hall. The food which filled the baskets was planned and purchased to meet the needs of those who signed up to receive baskets.

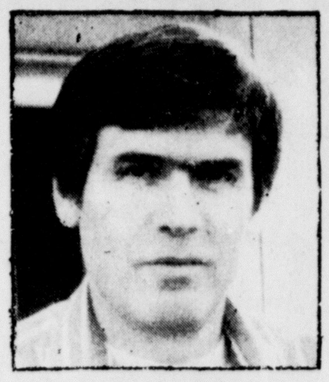
"There was very little food leftover, and what was left over was sent to St. Vincent de Paul and to the West Sacramento Resource Center," said Helmold.

She said that the increasing number of families and children served by the Christmas Basket Project is at least partly due to a new wave of immigrants.

"One reason (for the increase) is that we have a lot of immigrants who have come in during the last two to three months, both Russian and Southeast Asian," she commented.

# It's time again to make a few New Year's resolutions

My Back Pages



By Daryl Fisher

An old friend of mine who dropped by for a little visit over the holidays turned out to have a number of interesting suggestions for this column. "You know what I would do if I was writing the darn thing?" he said with conviction

"What?" I asked politely.

"Well, to begin with, I'd talk more about politics. You hardly ever mention all the crap that's going on in Washington, D.C.. You should take a clear, no-nonsense stand on Bill Clinton and then write about it for a good month or so. I bet that would really fire up your readers."

"But I don't think I want my readers fired up -- they know where I live," I tried to explain. "Plus I'm afraid I don't really care what happens to Bill Clinton one way or the other."

"You're kidding?"

"Nope. If he goes away, then Al Gore will be president, and he seems like a pretty nice guy. And if he stays, right-wing Republicans will keep dropping like flies, so I figure the country wins either way."

Fifteen or twenty minutes further into our conversation, my friend did hit upon an idea that seemed to have some potential. "1999 is just around the corner," he said, "so why don't you write a column about your New Years resolutions?"

"But I don't think I have any New Years resolutions," I said, quickly searching my mind to see if I had a few buried somewhere.

"But all the big-time newspaper columnists talk about their resolutions every single year," my friend assured me. "Couldn't you just make up a few? I mean, who's going to know the difference?"

"Well," I had to admit, "it would definitely beat writing about Bill Clinton. Thanks for the suggestion. I'll see what I can come up with."

New Years resolution #1: I will no longer spend half-an-hour every morning trying to wake my teenage sons up so they won't be late for school. If they want to spend all night playing video games and grow up to be as dumb as trees, so be it.

New Years resolution #2: I will try to stop lying about my age. I mean, I'm going to be 50 years old in another four or five years, and I'm just going to have to own up to it.

New Years resolution #3: I will stop pretending that if you eat something and no one sees you eat it, it has no calories.

New Years resolution #4: I won't go to any more high school reunions. I mean, how many times must someone be expected to smile and say hi to people who used to make your life miserable?

New Years resolution #5: I will start wearing cords again, if I can find a store that still sells them.

New Years resolution #6: I will stop suffering fools gladly, even those I'm related to.

New Years resolution #7: I will stop taking every opportunity to save money, the idea being that it will give the kids one less thing to fight about in the future.

New Years resolution #8: I will break down and purchase a second pair of glasses. It's ridiculous to spend more time trying to remember where I left the darn things than I do using them.

New Years resolution #9: I will insist that my kids keep their rooms clean or move out of the house, and that goes for my 12-year-old, too.

New Years resolution #10: I'm going to call the telephone company and get rid of whatever it is that allows my daughter to *69 people who really didn't want to talk to us in the first place.

New Years resolution #11: I'm not going to insist on my kids knowing what they want to be when they grow up until I've figured that out myself.

New Years resolution #12: I'm going to pay more attention to fads. I read somewhere that Madonna and ex-Spice Girl Geri Halliwell have both decided to start practicing celibacy and really get into housework, and those are the kinds of trends that a guy should be aware of.

New Years resolution #13: I'm going to try and be a much better speller. I mean, there's simply no excuse for getting words like Lebanese and Lesbian mixed up.

New Years resolution #14: I'm going to give up on trying to appreciate rap music. I think it's best to just admit to my kids that my musical taste begins and ends with Bob Dylan and leave it at that.

New Years resolution #15: And finally, in 1999, instead of making any grand plans or dwelling too much on the past and all those things I can't change, I think I'll just try to spend more time reflecting on maybe the most important truth of all -- that it's all free time.


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For information and hours, call 375-6465.

## Obituaries



**Hilda Marie Grosse**

Hilda Marie Grosse, 93, died Dec. 25, 1998. Born in 1905 in Brazil Mills, Nebraska, she was a resident of West Sacramento since 1954.

Hilda is survived by her spouse of 69 years, Edwin L. Grosse of West Sacramento; by daughter Jolene Muntzel of West Sacramento; by son and daughter-in-law Don and Rose Grosse of Jackson, Calif.; by son Ben Grosse of Jackson; and by ten grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren, and one great-great grandchild.

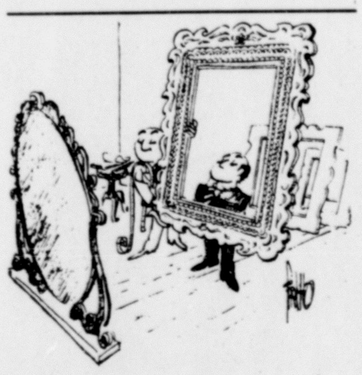
Memorial services will be held on Thurs., Dec. 31, at 10 a.m. at Community Lutheran Church on Drever St. in West Sacramento. Arrangements are under the direction of River Cities Funeral Chapel.

**Allen David Andrews**

Allen David Andrews died in West Sacramento on Dec. 24, 1998.

He was the beloved husband of Beverly Andrews; father of Christina Marie Andrews; son of Leora Andrews; brother of Don Andrews; and uncle of Michael and Mark Andrews, all of West Sacramento; great uncle of Jeremy Erwin Andrews of Granite Bay; and is also survived by his "favorite sister-in-law" Jean Andrews.

A native of Alturas, Calif., he was 54 years old. He was a local barber for 37 years and an avid horseman. Memorials are preferred to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements are under the direction of the River Cities Funeral Chapel.



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AREA VOLUNTEERS (including West Sacramentan Margaret Crawford, at far right) visited West Sacramento this week as part of the Audubon Society's nation-wide annual bird count. *(Photo by Philip Crawford)*

# Signups approach for West Sac Little League

The West Sacramento Little League will hold registration for players ages five through 16 at the Fireman's Hall at 1966 Park Blvd. in West Sacramento on the following Saturdays in January: 9, 16 and 23, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.; and on the following tuesdays in January: 12 and 19, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Fees are $40 for ages five and six; $50 for ages seven through 12; and $60 for ages 13 through 16. A $10 late fee will be charged to any player who registers after these sessions.

Because Senior League will be played in divisions (13/14 and 15/16) for the first time this year, it is extremely important that all Senior League players register on these dates so that the number of teams needed in each division can be determined. Please note that due to a national rule charge, players age 16 are now eligible for Senior League and all are encouraged to register. Little League tryouts (ages eight through 12) will be held at Memorial Park on Saturdays January 30 and February 6 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The West Sacramento Little League has been serving the youth of this community since 1954.

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# Sports Insider

**By Richard Novoa**

The NFL regular season came to a close on Monday night and five teams fired their head coaches, while 12 coaches prepare for the playoffs and the ultimate Super Bowl XXXIII Trophy.

The 49ers took care of the Rams, while the Packers rested their starters in Chicago, setting up a first-round home date with Green Bay on Sunday, Jan. 3 (1:15 p.m. - Fox). Scalpers are getting $150 a ticket for end zone seats! The 49ers were hit with the injury bug last Sunday, when Garrison Hearst pulled a hamstring and starting defenders Winfred Tubbs and Chris Doleman were banged up. Both will be listed as questionable for the big game. The Packers have a few guys hurt, but you bet your last dollar that both teams will be at full strength for this grudge match.

Last week, I finished the season picking two losers (Packers -7 and Steelers +4), but I did manage to win one (Giants -5), bringing my final regular season total to a respectable 57% (27 wins, 20 losses and one tie). Let's see how I do in the playoffs when the teams are playing for keeps!

The Packers will be 3 1/2 point underdogs coming into 3Com Park, where the 49ers are 17-1 over the last two years. The only home defeat, of course, was the 23-10 loss to the Packers in the 1997 playoffs!

The Niners win this time!! 49ers 31, Packers 24.

In last week's battle for the final NFC playoff spot, the Arizona Cardinals needed a last second field goal to beat San Diego and advance to Dallas (Sat. 1:05 p.m., ABC) to play as the last wild-card team. The Cowboys are 7 point favorites over Jake "The Snake" Plummer and his Cardinals. Take the points in this wild game as the Cards upset the Boys! Cardinals 24, Dallas 23.

The Minnesota Vikings (15-1) have the home field advantage throughout the playoffs and the Atlanta Falcons (14-2) will also earn a week off to prepare for their home games next week.

In the AFC, the Bills and Dolphins (-3) are set to do battle on Saturday morning (9:30 a.m., ABC) in Miami. The Dolphins defensive will stop the magic man Doug Flutie and the Buffalo Bills. Miami 27, Buffalo 13.

In the other AFC contest on Sunday morning (9:30 a.m., CBS), the Patriots invade Jacksonville. If Jaguars QB Mark Brunell returns from his bad ankle to play, take the Jags! Jacksonville 31, New England 17.

The Denver Broncos (14-2) have the home field advantage throughout the playoffs and the New York Jets (12-4) also get to enjoy a "bye" week.

Do you want to go "bowling?" How about 15 college bowl games in four days! Yes! The Rose Bowl (1:30 p.m., ABC) will pit Wisconsin and UCLA, while the NCAA Championship will be settled in Arizona on Jan. 4 (5 p.m., ABC), when No. 1 Tennessee tangles with Florida State. Look for Florida State to be crowned the 1999 NCAA Champions!

Happy New Year! See ya next YEAR!




Post-traumatic Dress Syndrome.

## *Sport Quiz*
*by Aaron E. Tucker*

1. Name the only major league baseball player to hit a home run in three consecutive All-Star Games.
2. Name the only major league baseball player to collect four hits in an All-Star and World Series Game.
3. Can you name the 1962 expansion New York Mets' opening day third baseman?
4. What player hit the first pinch hit home run in World Series history?
5. Name the first relief pitcher to capture the M.V.P. and Cy Young Awards in the same season.
6. Who holds the lifetime home run record off star pitcher Don Drysdale at 17?
7. Who is the New York Yankees all-time stolen base leader with 624?
8. Can you name the last player/manager in baseball?
9. What pitcher lost the first-ever World Series Game in 1903?
10. Name the last player to hit a home run at Brooklyn's Ebbets Field.

***Answers On Back Page***

## *How to retire that Christmas tree. . .*

Ready to retire that Christmas tree?

There are at least two ways to recycle your tree and get it out of your living room.

You can drop it off in a collection area near the Thrifty store, West Capitol Ave. at Jefferson Blvd. The site is accessible around the clock.

Or you can cut the tree into sections of no more than four feet and leave it at your curbside, where it will be picked up on your normal garbage collection day.

Either way, the trees will be taken to Sacramento and chipped for some kind of reuse -- they won't go to a landfill, said a representative of the West Sacramento city recycling office. And either way, the trees should be stripped of tinsel and other decorations before being recycled.

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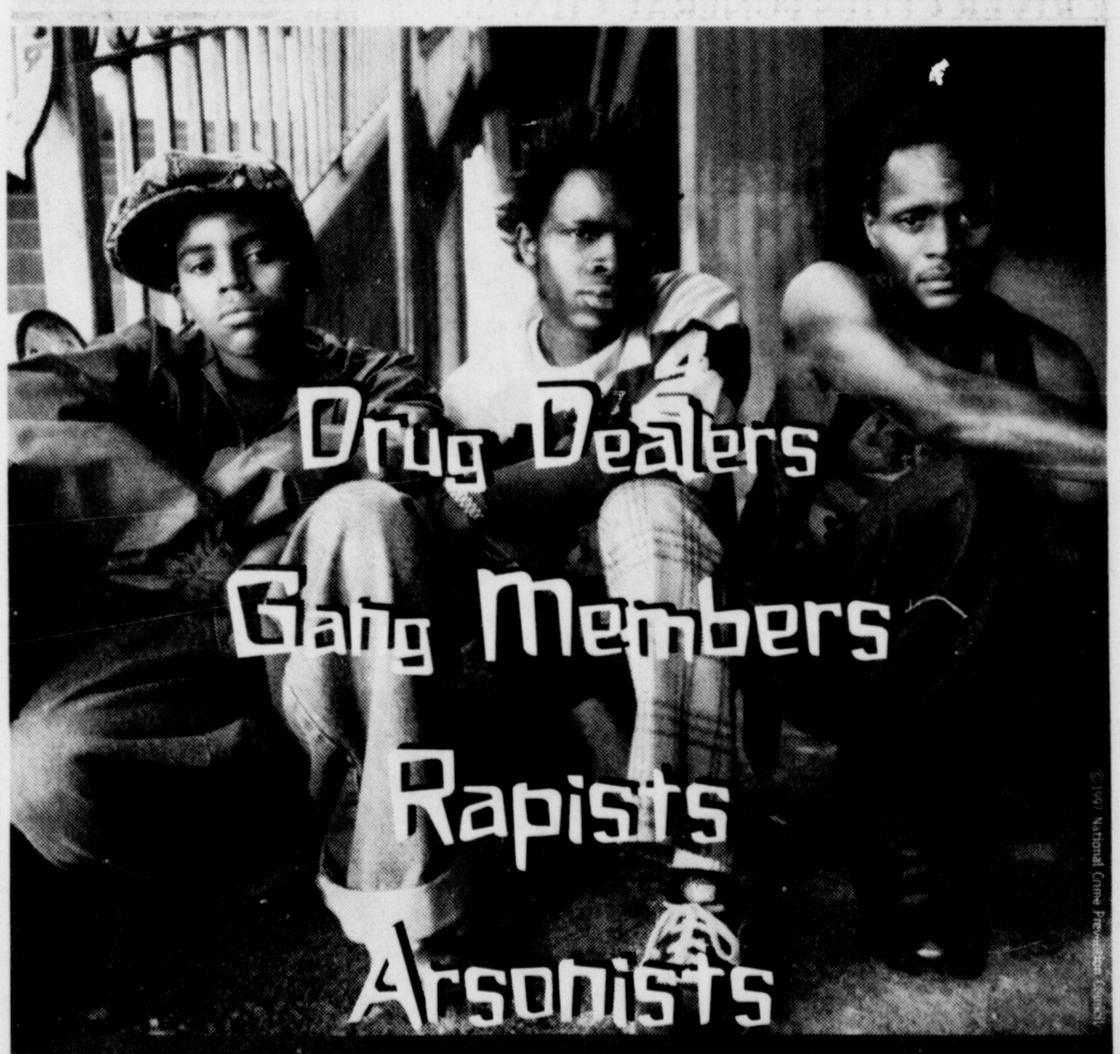
December in America, Stories from the Heart — A holiday, musical celebration, Dec. 11-20, 1998

The Last Night of Ballyhoo — by Alfred Uhry, Feb. 23 - March 21, 1999

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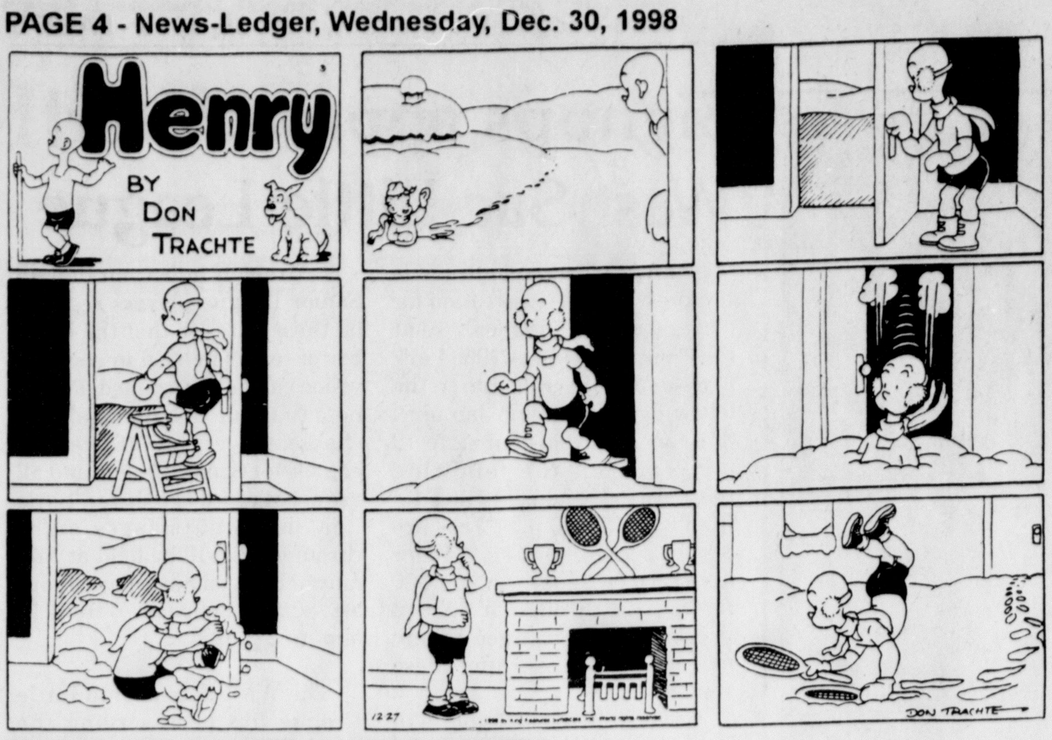

. . . all kicked out with the help of kids like us.
- Jamal, age 15
Khaleeq, age 16
Malcolm, age 16

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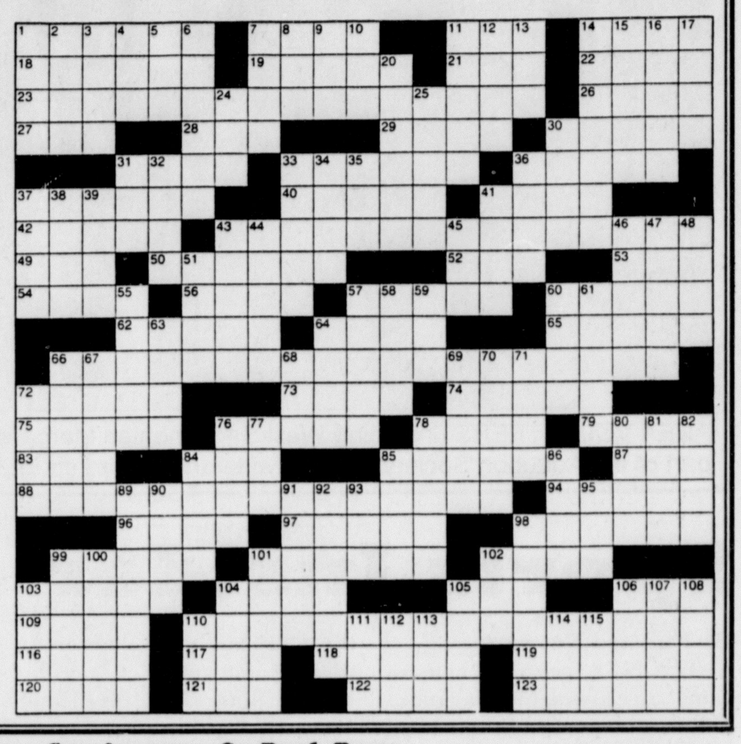
## GEORGE by MARK SZORADY




## SUPER CROSSWORD

**ACROSS**
1 Kitchen appliances
7 Goatish gamboler
11 Merry month
14 Jeremy's partner
18 Tristan's tootsie
19 — Park, Colo.
21 Mr. Lucky's card
22 Wahine's wiggle
23 Leg-strengthening desserts?
26 Give off
27 Disconsolate
28 Buck's beloved
29 Melodious Murray
30 With 78 Down, Batman's alter ego
31 Kid at court
33 No-nonsense city-state
36 Originate
37 "Cavalleria Rusticana" setting
40 Lowest point
41 Sale stipulation
42 Sweatshirt size
43 Figure-improving snack?
49 Give it — (try)
50 Pina —
52 Had a hot dog
53 Payable
54 Gift-wrap items
56 Apple or quince
57 Darling child
60 Inflexible
62 Physicist Joliot-Curie
64 Nice or Newark
65 Use a toboggan
66 Mind-expanding pastry?
72 Merchandise
73 Come in second
74 "Rawhide" rope
75 Rotund
76 Junior's job
78 Take a hike
79 Bush's alma mater
83 Potok's "My Name Is Asher —"
84 Tankard filler
85 Most despicable
87 Boxer Baer
88 Vision-enhancing side dish?
94 Japanese dog
96 Jack of "Hawaii Five-O"
97 Broadcast in July
98 Crown
99 Pool person
101 Saluki or schipperke
102 Bank (on)
103 Revealed
104 Film —
105 Lout
106 You can retire on it
109 "— it the truth?"
110 Digestion-aiding spread?
116 Apparatus
117 Latin I word
118 Passe-partout's profession
119 King or Lombard
120 — breve
121 Neither's partner
122 Change the decor
123 Defrosted

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1 Moves like mad
2 Cambodia's continent
3 Have to have
4 Astronaut Grissom
5 Wee one
6 Old-fashioned
7 Holiday
8 Shade of blond
9 Colorado native
10 Volleyball divider
11 — cum laude
12 Need a rubdown
13 "By all means!"
14 '66 Association smash
15 Soil stuff
16 Writer Walker
17 See socially
20 Zhivago's portrayer
24 Salty spread
25 Foreword
30 Cheese-board choice
31 Sty guy
32 Evelyn's brother
33 Nasty
34 Dad
35 They may be personal
36 Tennis legend
37 Concrete base
38 Othello's inducer
39 He won't speak without caws
41 Part of D.A.
43 Duplicate
44 Veronica of "Hill Street Blues"
45 Math abbr.
46 Perfect
47 Prize money
48 Faxed
51 Opinion page
55 Daddy dogs
57 More malevolent
58 Harper's Bazaar designer
59 Ultimate
60 James Herriot, for one
61 At present
63 Trick
64 Third-rate
66 Cavalry weapon
67 Roman fountain
68 Mr. Ziegfeld
69 Work on a crossword?
70 Frasier's brother
71 Thousand —, Calif.
72 Devour, with "down"
76 Clay clump
77 "And I Love —" ('64 song)
78 See 30 Across
80 Surrounded by
81 Tardy
82 Final
84 Curly coif
85 Comic Orson
86 Whippet's wagger
89 Strauss opus
90 Unit of loudness
91 Fall behind
92 Shake-spearean monarch
93 "— tu" (Verdi aria)
95 Kyser or Starr
98 Flaw
99 Sales pitch
100 Like some music
101 Word with guard or scheme
102 Team scream
103 It's a long story
104 James Mason role
105 Conductor Klemperer
106 Explode
107 She, to Satie
108 Chased away gray
110 Actress Hooks
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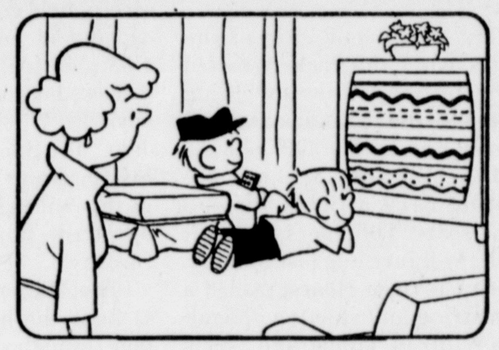
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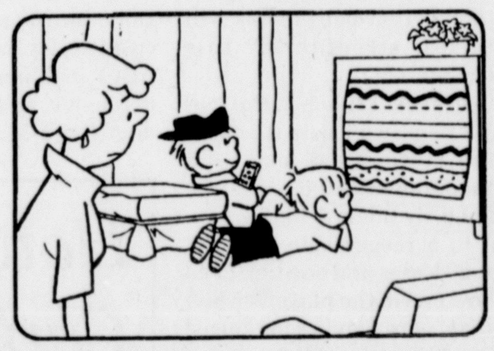
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## OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS




## THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING



# OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

## Play ball, but play cheap

The next step is the touchiest and the most crucial step in the path towards bringing a minor league baseball team to a proposed site on the West Sacramento waterfront.

Leaving behind their belief that the project could be accomplished without public money, the River City Baseball organization is now negotiating with city officials to put together a proposal that will involve some level of city money or risk. The city is -- quite rightly -- a bit gunshy about spending too much money, or taking too much risk, to bring about a local baseball stadium.

City residents seem to like the idea of a stadium here forming part of a future merged Sacramento/West Sacramento downtown. The stadium could be an asset to both the region and the city. But this is the same community that has twice voted down a school bond in recent years, despite serious facilities problems, and it is not likely the residents here are willing to pay very much out of their own pockets for a baseball stadium.

The city council seems to be well aware of this, and River City Baseball officials are aware of it too. The two sides need to work together to come up with the best possible plan (both inexpensive and feasible), and then run it past the public.

If, after the current negotiations, the citizens of West Sacramento are asked to support a plan that involves a serious amount of their money or a serious exposure to risk, then it is they, and not the council, which should be allowed to make this call. Their opinions could be gathered at a special election or through some less formal polling mechanism. But one way or another, it does need to be sought out.

# Letters to the Editor

**Special thanks. . .**

The West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project has completed another successful year. Although the final figures are not completely calculated yet, the rough count is as follows: approximately 855 families, over 3100 individuals of which more than 1600 were children. The food baskets were distributed Monday and Tuesday, December 21 and 22. The toys were distributed on Wednesday the 23rd. Any foods that were left over, and that was very little, were given to the West Sacramento Resource Center Food Closet and St. Vincent dePaul Food Closet at Holy Cross Church.

It takes many, many people working together to put the project on. The efforts of so many businesses, churches, individuals and clubs really pays off in a great way. This is truly a community effort and makes us so proud of West Sacramento.

Special thanks go to the California School Board Association for their heading up the toy portion of the basket project. They were able to provide toys for all of the children. Davis Campbell and employees Lisa Kinney and Cindy Warfe spent many hours getting everything put together so that the children would have a brighter Christmas.

Special thanks also go to Gorman's Stationary with their raffle of Beanie Babies that netted $500.00. Trinity Presbyterian's Mission Committee put together "Brown Bags" for the seniors and homeless with some extras that might not be ordinarily found in a "food basket" -- soap, dishwashing soap, scrubbers, toothpaste, etc. Also doing some special packing was Professional Food Service -- non-perishable foods and water bottles, and cookies handmade by the workers just for the project.

Thanks also go to the Rotary; APCOA; the Mecca Club; the Kiwanis; Beauty Shops; Banks; Golden State Middle School; California Youth Authority who for the 10th or 11th year provided workers to help with all the heavy boxes; the Board of Directors of the Project who spent about 5 months setting all this up; the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce for so many helps during the project, but especially being there at the last minute when we needed them for a P.A. system; Larry Vonkanael from the City for his special efforts; and so many people that gave their time, talents, and treasure to make this year all extra special one for those that needed an extra bit of help this year. I'm sure that I've missed someone, but you know who you are and we really thank you.

To the News-Ledger -- your advertising and coverage of the Basket Project continues to be excellent and quite successful. We couldn't do it without you. Also to the I.L.W.U. Union hall and Everett Burdin -- without the hall, we would have not had any place to distribute the project. So you see -- it takes us all to do a successful project. Once again -- West Sacramento -- thank you!
HELENA HELMOLD
Chair
West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project 1998

**Somerset staff, residents grateful**

The following organizations and individuals have provided cheer to our holidays; we would like to thank everyone for their continuous devotion -- God Bless each and every one of you:

Dick Cross; West Sacramento Moose Lodge; Capital Christian Church; Jewish Family Services; Full Victory Gospel; Kaz-Taz Karaoke; Kids Club; West Sacramento Head Start School; Nazarene Church; CSUS Club; Community Lutheran Church; West Sacramento Senior Songsters; Sandy's Day Care; Horizon Youth Group; Salvation Army; Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints; Holiday Project; Rotary Club; Anna Street Baptist; West Sacramento Police Department.

Thank you for making our holiday special.
JANET COZARES, Actvity Director,
and RESIDENTS AND STAFF
Somerset Nursing Center
West Sacramento

## Sound Off!

*"Sound Off!" is your local call-in opinion line. For the rules of participation, see the shaded box of information below.*

*This week's comment:*

The season of goodwill is coming to its end. Now we can all go back to being insensitive, mean and nasty to each other as we are taught to be by our sitcoms, talk shows, commercials and sports broadcasts.

Have a fine '99!

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**Media foul play**

My consumption of various news media has been an increasingly revealing experience. However, I've noticed what I'm beginning to consider an unhealthy trend in your chosen profession. It seems that an important sector of "gratuities," or "perks" that far too many "Newsies" are subjected to (a bribe by any other name, etc...), is completely overlooked. In fact, it's a type of "reward" that many reporters, columnists, and editors are quick to point out (in a disapproving manner) when practiced by politicians, or others, in a position of public trust, and is referred to as "the good old boy's network," in business and/or academic circles. I am, of course, pointing out the almost incestuous practice of "cross-pollination" going on in the fields of both reportage and politics. Far too many politicians (and political insiders) are becoming commentators (with the imprimatur of "unbiased" implied), and, more insidiously, I believe, a rapidly growing contingent of media types are turning to political consultancies, speech writing, etc...for prestige and profit. Just look at the growing proliferation of insiders, masquerading as "political experts," giving basically one sided spin on T.V., radio, and in print, these days. I'm certain that the lure of high paying consultancies, etc...has caused more than one worthy to consider which path leads to a more prestigious and comfortable retirement. (Besides, if it's for a "good" cause, one you already believe in, what's the harm?). After all, you may be helping "To make a difference" which, by the way, is the number one answer given by college freshmen journalism students as to the "Why" of their major. (Notice that the accurate chronicling of events didn't even make the list, as far as I know.) What proof of this is there? Noticed the increasing substitution of polls for news lately? Polls, scientifically skewed, selected and spun, have become the muddy medium of choice for far too many purveyors of "All the news that's fit to print."

That, coupled with the increasingly abhorrent practice of using "but," and "some (or others) say," to belittle what has just been reported, (especially if it doesn't fit their "moderate," worldly view). In the broadcast media, of television, add body language to the arsenal of vocal inflection and phrasing, (somewhat akin to placement above or below the fold, page one of twenty one, in a newspaper) which seems to color an otherwise supposedly unbiased reporting of the facts.

Oh, and don't let it go unnoticed that the first to cry foul, and unfair, are those staunch defenders of the first (that which is "above all") amendment to the Constitution. Who? Why those supercilious, scintillating, self-satisfied (and smug), poltroons of journalistic integrity, of course. Who else? In a way, I suppose you (Mr. Every Journalist"), may be feeling unfairly judged. Today, however, perception is reality. Mores the pity. (Propaganda, for whatever purpose, good or evil, whether invoked or implemented by sociopaths, or egalitarian elites, is still propaganda.)
J. BESHARIAN
West Sacramento

## Your thoughts are welcome

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# PAGE FROM THE PAST

INDEPENDENT-LEADER

## WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS

The Sacramento River registered one foot six inches, United States gauge at the Southern Pacific bridge yesterday. This reading was taken at low tide and is not a real indication of the stage of the river at this writing, for it is safe to say that the depth of the stream where the reading was taken is at least six feet. Shoals have appeared above the Southern Pacific bridge to such an extent that apparently an average size man could walk across the river. The effect of the tide on the stream shows plainly an upward turn when the tide is incoming and debris from the wharves being built by the Southern Pacific Company on Front street floats up past the water intake of Sacramento.

As a pastime John Johnson, the night watchman at the West Sacramento headquarters, set up two hives of bees last fall and when about to find if his bees had been busy the other day, he was greatly surprised to find nineteen frames filled with first-class honey. As a matter of fact, bee-keeping in the West Sacramento district is becoming quite an industry and the returns secured are better than the average, owing to the great fields of alfalfa that are allowed to ripen and blossom in the district.

Miss Dixie Chiles spent the week-end with her parents in Chiles Valley, Napa County.

The West Side Auto Camp, under the direction of its owners, McNally & Partridge, received two truck loads of watermelons last Wednesday and went to the trouble of going to the source of supply in order to give their customers the best in the market. So as not to lose time, they drove down Tuesday night and on Wednesday, when their trucks were loaded, they spent the night in traveling from Turlock to West Sacramento. But the melons are wonders, nearly peaches, and the trade those boys are enjoying, especially from auto tourists and neighbors in the vicinity of their camp, is extraordinary.

William Brown, arrested by Constable Buckingham yesterday, was discovered by Judge Barry to be an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Yountville, but had been indulging in the consumption of canned heat or gas in the vicinity of the M street bridge and in the jungles. Pleading guilty to the charge of being drunk, he resented the imputation that he was a vagrant and expressed his readiness to pay a fine or do anything else to make amends for his sinning, but he did not want to be placed on the black list at the Soldiers' Home. He promised Judge Barry to return to the home as soon as possible and on that account he was given a suspended sentence of thirty days in jail. It only took him five minutes to get to Sacramento and get the first train back to the Soldiers' Home.

Claude Howard and wife, with Frank Todhunter, left here last Saturday to make a trip by auto as far south as Mexico. They disclaimed any idea of getting away from prohibition but a few of their friends joked them about bringing back a toothful of real stuff.

Willie Freese of Riverbank went bathing last Tuesday in the river and in the pockets of his clothes left a watch, a ring and some keys owned by his mother. At the same time three youngsters of the Russian fraternity of Bryte were bathing in the river and leaving the water before the Freese boy, they found the watch, the ring and the keys, and appropriated them. Constable Buckingham managed to secure a confession from them that they had stolen the goods but when they went to find the ring and the keys they could not be located. The watch was returned to Mrs. Freese and a decision has not been reached yet as to what punishment should be meted out to the youngsters, all of whom were less than twelve years of age.

Joe Pereira and wife left here last Saturday to make an auto trip to the northern part of the state. The last heard of them they were in Redding and were then on their way to Pereira's old home in Ft. Jones, Siskiyou County.

W. J. Woods and wife have been in Orange County during the past two weeks on a vacation. Last Monday Woods returned here, leaving his wife with relatives where she will remain for several weeks to come.

M. G. Collins and wife of Chico spent the week-end with Mrs. George, the postmistress of Washington.

Mrs. Louise Smith has returned to her home here after spending two weeks in San Francisco and other Bay points. She was accompanied by her nephew, Charles Leinberger, Jr., of Sacramento, who fulfilled the duties of escort to Mrs. Smith in an admirable manner.

Miss Millie Armstrong spent a few days of the past week at the Leinberger home on a friendly visit. She returned to her home in Cosumnes last Wednesday.

After spending a vacation at Pacific Grove, Mrs. J. N. McNeven and Mrs. Ray Peek and daughter have returned.

Odell Russell and Joseph Eugene have returned to Washington from Fallon, Nev., where they have been visiting with friends and relatives. They were accompanied on the return trip by the Misses Amy and Mildred Hoover, nieces of Eugene. The Hoover sisters will spend several days here visiting with Mrs. Ray Speicher.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joseph, Charles Todhunter, Romie Barry and Mrs. Ellis Barry have left for a few days' hunting trip in Lassen County.

Mrs. George Beale and daughter are spending a month on a pleasure trip at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas spent Sunday visiting with friends and relatives at Vallejo.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hart, Fred Hart and Mrs. E. C. Reinersman are spending a few days visiting in Carson City, Nevada.

Miss Audrey Richeson, who has been spending a few days in Truckee on a pleasure trip, returned to Washington.

Miss Agnes Butler has returned to her East Sacramento home after visiting a few days with Mrs. Herman Garber of Washington.

After spending a few days visiting with G. C. Colbert of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Colbert, Newton Colbert and Miss Kathryn Colbert continued on a motor trip which started at Pittsburgh, Pa. They will visit in Shasta County, Los Angeles and other California cities before returning home.

## WASHINGTON BOOSTERS' CLUB TAKES ACTIVE INTEREST IN INCORPORATION OF THE TOWN

Although the president and vice president of the Washington Boosters Club, Mrs. A. M. Cameron and Mrs. P. A. Hart, were absent on their vacations last Tuesday evening, a well filled hall greeted the regular meeting of the club.

Ray Peek presided again and active discussion was indulged in for a lengthy period.

The committee that had been appointed at the previous meeting to take up the question of incorporation made a report that it had been in consultation with attorneys but that definite plans had not yet been formed to go ahead with incorporation. Some difficulty had been experienced because so many of the Sacramento attorneys were out of town on their vacations. A full report on the preliminary work in the question of incorporation was promised for the meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, August 5.

It is expected that absent officers will have returned by that time and that further interest will be stirred up in the important question.

There is no doubt whatever that the property owners and voters of Washington are becoming anxious about incorporation. Other towns are framing, under incorporation, to boost their localities and the people of Washington are fully alive to the fact that incorporation seems to be the cure for the evils that inflict the community at the present time.

Perhaps the most vital question that concerns the taxpayers is that of expense following incorporation. Is the assessed valuation sufficient to bring enough revenue to the city authorities to conduct the town in a proper manner?

How much will the road tax that now goes to the county government give to the newly incorporated town?

What will be the expenses of incorporation, and what will be the subsequent expense after incorporation?

What form of government will be adopted, what officers will be elected, and what officials must be paid a salary to conduct the affairs of the community?

All these things are vital in taking a step so important and beneficial to the community.

A committee of the Boosters Club reported last Tuesday evening that the school trustees of the district had been approached about placing a night watchman on the public school building during the next two or three months. The committee, consisting of Mrs. Floris, Mrs. Esycheck and Mrs. Painter, reported that they did not get much satisfaction from the trustees because at the present time there is very little money in the school fund for the district, but the trustees were about to investigate and see what could be done to protect the public school building, especially because there seems to be an epidemic of school fires throughout the state.

The loss of the public school building would bear heavily on the taxpayers of the district because the structure is not yet fully paid for and, besides, another new building would add to the burden of the taxpayers.

Ray Peek reported to the meeting last Tuesday that the M street camp grounds had been greatly improved under the direction of its owner, Mr. Boyd, and that every sanitary precaution had been observed. Mr. Boyd also promised that the appearance of the camp would be changed from its present dilapidated condition as quickly as his finances would permit it.

G. A. Townsend, who has been picking up garbage, appeared at the club to report that so far he had secured only forty-six customers outside the two camp grounds and that most of these wanted only a monthly service for the removal of garbage, tin cans and other refuse. He said that such a number of customers would not pay him to continue the work and that at least there should be a weekly or bi-monthly service.

His charge for hauling away garbage is only 50c for monthly service and $1.00 for weekly service. He reported that all the garbage hauled is being burned at the present time in the dumping ground north of town.

Where garbage is allowed to remain in wooden barrels or kegs, as is sometimes the case, Townsend said there is danger of spontaneous combustion and he had found several receptacles about ready to catch on fire.

T. D. M. Slaven was present at the meeting last Tuesday evening and complimented the club on the progress it was making on the question of incorporation. He partially explained the methods that should be pursued and made an extended talk in favor of the question.

At the meeting to be held on Tuesday, August 5, a large attendance is expected and a full report will be looked for from the committee of investigation.

## PREHISTORIC SKELETON FOUND NEAR RAILROAD TRACKS WEST OF TOWN

The mania that has lately developed all over the United States and in fact all over the world to find prehistoric skeletons, prehistoric mammals and prehistoric dinosaurs seems to have spread to this section of the state.

Last Tuesday a Washington boy, digging for angle worms near the overflow west of town, discovered a skeleton. It was such an extraordinary skeleton that he reported his find to some of the Sacramento officers and immediately word was sent to the University of California to start an investigation.

True enough, some professors arrived the next day to investigate the skeleton and to place a date for its existence about three million years before Christ.

All the necessary proofs were there. There were bones, hair, vertebrae and nose horns.

A real live story was in course of publication, something that would surprise the world, something that would outclass the relics of the Gobi desert, relics that antedated the Los Angeles prehistoric find, that at last Washington was about to be put on the map.

But along came a farmer, a real dirt farmer, a man who had lived in the locality for several years and who had been a sufferer from floods and other such inconvenient affairs.

When he heard the professors discussing the merits of the new find he laughed hilariously and when those professors inquired of him the cause of his levity he simply told them.

"That was a skunk I killed last winter for killing my chickens and I buried him there because I dare not bring it nearer to my house."

## ELECTION OFFICERS APPOINTED FOR PRIMARY ON AUGUST 26TH

Woodland, July 27.—County Clerk Harry R. Saunders reports today the selection of 212 election officers in the various precincts of Yolo County at the primary election to be held throughout the county on August 26 next. More than half of the officers selected by the board of supervisors, or to be exact, 114 of them, are women electors of the various precincts. One precinct has not a man on the election board. This is Woodland precinct No. 11, where there are six women election officers.

It will be noted that George A. Ball is once again on the Woodland election board in his precinct, a record of well over thirty years that he has served consecutively on county election boards. Ball is quite proud of his record. The roster of election officers for this section of Yolo County is as follows:

**Clarksburg Precinct.**

Polling place in auditorium of school house. John Krull, J. C. Marshall, N. K. Kurtz, J. S. Bell, William C. Huntley and B. A. Taylor.

**South Washington.**

Polling place at Brietzke's garage. Lauren E. Van Tassel, Emma J. Hart, A. M. Jongeneel, Jessie B. Borchers, Jack P. Edwards and Archie E. Lewis.

**North Washington.**

Polling place at Town Hall. E. A. Palm, J. L. Clifton, Flora P. Woods, Ethel R. Palm, Mary A. Esycheck and Georgia M. Dupzyk.

**Riverbank District.**

Polling place at assembly hall in schoolhouse. Elbert P. Smith, Lillie J. White, Tom Collins, Effie L. Anderson, Eunice W. Queener and Hedwig Marty.

**South Putah.**

Polling place in Franklin schoolhouse. O. B. Wilbur, J. M. Childers, W. H. Baker and Frank Weber.

### FEDERAL DRY AGENTS MAKE RAID ON STILL IN WEST SACRAMENTO

The source of liquor supplies for a large number of itinerant laborers in the western end of the city is believed by officers to have been cut off by a raid made Friday night on a resort conducted by Tom Sumski in West Sacramento. The raid was made by Prohibition Agent W. W. Greer and Sumski was placed under arrest.

Greer was able to obtain only a small quantity of liquor, as Sumski destroyed it as the officer entered the place. He said large numbers of men have been crossing the river from Sacramento to obtain liquor at Sumski's place.

### THREE COURTLAND PEOPLE ARE ACCUSED OF FRAUD

## BOND POSTPONEMENT HAS NO OPPOSITION IN WEST SACRAMENTO

At the election held in West Sacramento last Friday, July 25, not one single vote was registered against the postponement of payment of bonds that were about to fall due on January 1, 1925, January 1, 1926, and January 1, 1927.

The voting in this instance was done on assessed valuations and while all the property owners did not take advantage of the opportunity to vote, it was significant that the vote represented a total sum of $324,000.68.

The effect of the election will be that the landholders will be relieved of the payment of $171,000 until January 1, 1941, 1942 and 1943.

This potponement was asked because the committee of the bondholders who now have charge of the district felt that this was a poor year to assess this tax on the landholders.

There remains now only one bond issue that is being paid off each year and which will not bear heavily on the property owners within the district.

## SACRAMENTO CAPITALIST MADE DEFENDANT IN DIVORCE SUIT

A sacramento daily paper published a story the other day relative to the divorce proceedings brought by Mrs. Agnes McKay against her husband, Charles McKay, who is well known in Washington.

Mrs. McKay was formerly a resident of Washington for several years, having been known as Mrs. Agnes Kinch.

Many residents of Washington will read with sorrow the reasons advanced for the divorce as recited in a daily paper of Sacramento.

Charles McKay, said by his wife to be a retired capitalist worth $60,000, today was made defendant in a suit for divorce filed in the superior court by Mrs. Agnes McKay on the ground of cruelty.

Mrs. McKay, who says the alleged acts of cruelty cited in her complaint occurred while they were living at 4300 H street, asks the court to award her $250 a month alimony. She avers his income is $600 monthly.

In her complaint, Mrs. McKay charges her spouse told her he had another woman to whom he could go any time he wanted and that she loved him and would keep care of him as long as he lived.

She also charges her spouse told her he did not know why he married her; that he wished he could get rid of her and that she either had to leave or take his abuse.

### BEET HARVEST HAS STARTED IN HOLLAND DISTRICT

Beet harvesting commenced on several tracts in the Clarksburg district Monday, according to Farm Advisor Warren D. Norton. There is a large acreage of beets in this section, a good yield is reported and prices are good.

Among those who started harvesting Monday are Olson & Swartz, J. C. Marshall and Holmes Brothers.

## JOSEPH AND SILVIERA BOYS WOULD SEE THE WORLD IN AUTO

Last Sunday afternoon Frank Joseph, son of E. M. Joseph, the dairyman, of Washington, and Joseph Silviera, a neighbor's boy, both about sixteen years of age, decided that it was time for them to see for themselves what was going on in the wide, wide world.

Appropriating the Joseph automobile, a valuable machine, too, by the way, they started out for the south and wound up in San Jose. A crafty officer noticing their actions and being suspicious that they had stolen the machine, placed them under arrest.

Word was immediately telegraphed to Mr. Joseph and to the Woodland authorities to hold the boys. Mr. Joseph started on the first train for San Jose and brought home the boys, who believe they can go along now without worrying about seeing the world.


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# Missing man found dead on hillside in West Yolo

A search for a missing, retired C.H.P. officer in western Yolo County ended with the discovery of the 60-year old man's body Thursday in a wooded hillside area near County Road 83A southwest of Esparto.

Volunteers and rescue personnel had been looking for James William Black since he disappeared three days earlier. He was known to take regular walks in the hilly west-Yolo County area where he lived.

Preliminary autopsy results showed no serious trauma to Black's body and further test results were being awaited to determine the cause of his death, reported the Yolo County Sheriff-Coroner's office.



"It may not be the Heimlich maneuver, but it's just as effective."

# *But did she get what she wanted?*

*ONE OF A NUMBER of local children to greet Santa Claus aboard the Yolo Shortline Railroad on Dec. 26, this youngster climbed aboard the caboose (and Santa's lap) at a train stop in the Bryte area of West Sacramento.*

*Photo courtesy of West Sac. Parks and Community Services Dept.*



# Police log

**Police log items are culled from police records. The facts have not been verified through investigation, and therefore precise names and addresses are never used here.**

**Dec. 27, 11:34 a.m.**
A pickup truck on Beardsley Dr. had its steering column damaged in an apparent theft attempt during the night.

**Dec. 27, 1:05 p.m.**
On Rubicon Way, a CD player and other items were stolen from an unlocked vehicle.

**Dec. 27, 10:24 pm.**
A Touchstone Pl. resident called police several times about very loud music coming from the room of another resident. An officer visited and agreed that the music was too loud. The tenant signed a citizens arrest for the suspect for creating a disturbance, and the man was arrested and released with a notice to appear in court.

**Dec. 28, 11 a.m.**
A burglary report was taken on Carmel Ct. A man said his two cars were burglarized and stereo equipment was taken from them.

**Dec. 28, 11:45 a.m.**
An anonymous woman called city hall threatening to blow up a major local office building because it was "messing up the skyline."

**Dec. 28, 12:45 p.m.**
At Linden Park over the weekend, someone cut the lock holding some equipment and threw the equipment into the nearby canal.

**Dec. 28, 1 p.m.**
An Ironwood Way man said his vehicle was broken into during the night with stereo equipment taken.

**Dec. 28, 1:30 p.m.**
On 6th St., a woman and her son's girlfriend had a disagreement. The woman, carrying a baseball bat "for protection," approached the girlfriend's car, and the girlfriend then accelerated wildly, trying to strike the woman, and striking another car before departing.

**Gota a hot news tip?**
**Call the News-Ledger, 371-8030.**

# PORT from page one

will be a good one.

Meanwhile, the Port of Sacramento continues to market real estate holdings, including raw land in Southport and projects north of the barge canal. The port has put out a "request for proposals" to build a 220,000 square foot, three-building development along Industrial Blvd. The project, sitting on 13.3 acres near Beacon Blvd., would provide warehouse and office space.

"The first building is about 57,000 square feet and the port's offices will occupy about 12 to 15,000 square feet of that," Sulpizio explained. Other office and warehouse space will be available in the "tilt-up" construction for other tenants.

The manmade port and deep water shipping channel are currently celebrating their 35th anniversary.

# SISTER CORA from page one

culture was so different from ours that they felt isolated and fearful. But slowly they came to understand the importance of learning English and they have continued to blossom in just about every way imaginable. Many of the women, who are taught embroidery at a very young age, are now in our sewing program, and family members have also created wonderful vegetable gardens throughout the community."

After years of working alongside the Mien and Hmong, Sister Cora is no longer concerned about their ability to feed themselves, because most are former farmers and are very good at raising their own food. It's finding good paying jobs in today's complex work environment that poses the biggest problem.

"It's not a situation that's going to change overnight," said Sister Cora, "but the adults are slowly learning to be more assertive outside of the house and they are also beginning to put the many skills they do possess to good use. For example, some of them are renting nearby farmland where they can raise strawberries and other produce in amounts large enough that it can be sold for a profit. And hopefully the sewing program we've established at Yolo High School will also make it possible for some of the women to start selling the school uniforms and other clothing items they are making."

Sister Cora is a native of the Philippines. After she completed her teaching credential she volunteered for the Peace Corps and then, at the age of 37, joined the Sisters of Mercy. For more than 20 years, she has worked in the field of education and she is very thankful for the opportunity she has been given to assist the Mien and Hmong.

"I often remember how my father used to go out of his way to help others who were in need," recalled Sister Cora. "His example has never left me, and the truth is that I have learned much more from the Mien and the Hmong than they have learned from me. It's very rewarding to work with people from different cultures. You have to listen carefully, and it helps put your own values in perspective. The Mien and Hmong are very special people, they're survivors, and they and their children will make America an even better place to live."

"Sister Cora was definitely sent by God," said Cyndi Thompson. "She has such energy and commitment and it's contagious. She continues to search and find the needed funding to keep as many of the programs going as possible. She is the lifeblood of West Sacramento's concern for Southeast Asian refugees, and she has been an inspiration to me."

As is the case with Sister Cora, Mrs. Thompson has also been deeply impressed by the Mien and Hmong.

"They are so wise," said Cyndi. "They have an intelligence that I think is often very difficult for people of other cultures to fully appreciate. I guess maybe the best way to put it is that they have an innate wisdom. They have great respect for one another and they always support each other and the group. They work together towards common goals and they have a very rich culture. They are also a very giving people, and I agree with Sister Cora -- it was I who learned from them, and not the other way around."

*Don't take chances!*

*Designate a driver or find some other way to make sure drinking and driving don't mix this holiday season!*



"I'd gladly be impeached!"

# Public Notices

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Nov 4, 1998**
**File No. 98-660**

The following person is doing business as CGI Technologies, 2505 Fifth St. #243, Davis, CA 95616:

Evan Scarisbrick, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/29/98.

/s/Evan Scarisbrick

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Date: Nov 4, 1998
by: /s/Cynthia Stiles, Deputy Clerk

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Nov 3, 1998**
**File No. 98-654**

The following persons are doing business as Entheos Company, 3226 Chesapeake Bay Ave., Davis, CA 95616:

Ona Olito and Michael White, same address as above.

This business is conducted by an Unincorporated Association - other than a Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/3/98.

/s/Michael White

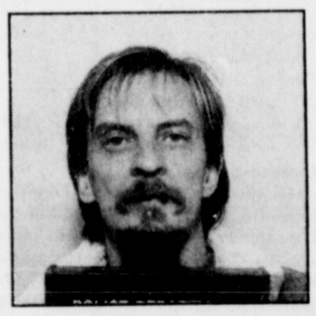
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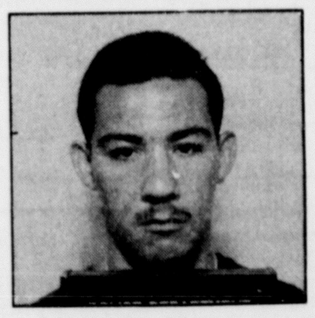
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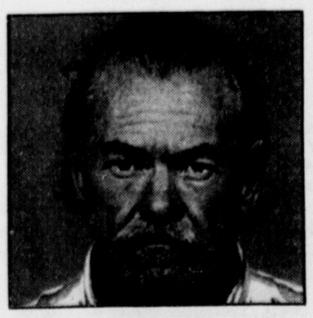
# West Sac's most wanted



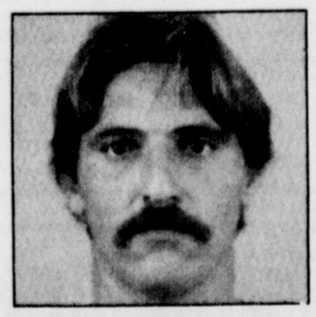
Eric McInnis is wanted by the Woodland Parole Office and the West Sacramento Police Department for being a parolee at large. McInnis, a 28-year-old male with brown hair and eyes, stands 6'0" and weighs 190 pounds. He is a prior resident of West Sacramento with a history of ADW, corporal injury to spouse, property and drug related offenses. He is believed to be in the West Sacramento area.



Joseph John Spore is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for vandalism and battery. Spore, a 21-year-old male with brown hair and eyes, stands 5'11" and weighs 160 pounds. His last known address was in West Sacramento.



Daniel Cleve Bell is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for burglary and auto theft. Bell, a 49-year-old male with brown hair and hazel eyes, stands 5'10" and weighs 190 pounds. His last known address was in West Sacramento.



Eugene Draganov Petrof is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department for assault with a deadly weapon. Petrof, a 42-year-old male with brown hair and blue eyes, stands 6'1" and weighs 170 pounds. His last known address was in West Sacramento.

If you have information regarding the whereabouts of any of these individuals, please contact the West Sacramento Police Department, Warrants Section, at 372-2461, ext. 226, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you know the immediate location of the person outside of normal business hours, contact West Sacramento Police Department Dispatch at 375-6474.

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## Public Notices

**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec 7, 1998**
**File No. 98-710**

The following person is doing business as Danny Boy's, 4055 Vista Way, Davis, CA 95616:

Kimberly Craig Gazzaniga, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/7/98.

/s/Kimberly Gazzaniga

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Date: Dec. 7, 1998
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec. 11, 1998**
**File No. 98-725**

The following person is doing business as Event Lighting & Production Services, 817 Arthur Street, Davis, CA 95616:

Stephen Charles Harris, same address.

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/s/Stephen Charles Harris

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec. 2, 1998**
**File No. 98-702**

The following person is doing business as P&J Projects, 9806 Old Winery Place, Suite 1, Sacramento, CA 95827:

Carl Panattoni, 8401 Jackson Road, Sacramento, CA 95826; Rod Johnson, 2191 Loch Way, El Dorado Hills, CA 95762.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/15/95. Previous fictitious business name number SAC-DJC7340740/9503281.

/s/

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec. 14, 1998**
**File No. 98-732**

The following person is doing business as Kate's Designer Knits; DH Enterprises; 504 Third St., Woodland, CA 95695:

Kate M. Hepworth and David I. Hoffman, 504 Third St., Woodland, CA 95695.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/98.

/s/K.M. Hepworth
/s/David I. Hoffman

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec 10, 1998**
**File No. 98-723**

The following persons are doing business as Mel's Repair Service, 815 Sycamore Ln., Woodland, CA 95695:

Raymond T. Juhler, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/10/98.

/s/Raymond T. Juhler

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec 10, 1998**
**File No. 98-724**

The following person is doing business as The Redwood Barn Nursery, Inc., 1607 Fifth St., Davis, CA 95616:

The Redwood Barn Nursery, Inc., incorp. in California; same address.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1990.

/s/Donald W. Shor
President
Redwood Barn Nursery, Inc.

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by: /s/Karen Smith, Deputy Clerk

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Nov 18, 1998**
**File No. 98-683**

The following persons are doing business as Rhyspotic Productions, 750 D St. Apt. I, Davis, CA 95616:

Kimberley McCallister, Shawn Cash and Jeff Jensen.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/17/98.

/s/Kim McCallister

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by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec. 11, 1998**
**File No. 98-727**

The following person is doing business as Action Machine & Welding Inc., 536 "B" Houston St., West Sacramento, CA 95691-2214:

Action Machine & Welding Inc., same address as above.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/1979.

/s/Leonard E. Capps
President
Action Machine & Wldg Inc.

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec 3, 1998**
**File No. 98-703**

The following person is doing business as MedTech, 23464 County Rd 102, Woodland CA 95776:

Cheryl Thompson, same address.

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/s/Cheryl Thompson

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**STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL FROM PARTNERSHIP OPERATING UNDER FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**
**FILED YOLO COUNTY DEC 14, 1998**
**FILE NO. 98-528**

The following persons have withdrawn as general partners from the partnership operating under the fictitious business name of Nik of Time at 920 3rd St., Suite F, Davis, CA 95616.

The fictitious business name statement for the partnership was filed on Sept. 3, '98 in the County of Yolo. The full name and residence of the persons withdrawing as partners are Monica Turelli, 704 Coolidge St., Davis, CA 95616.

Signed s/Monica Turelli

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on date indicated by file stamp above.

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**FILED DEC 21, 1998**
**FBN Number: 95-752**
**STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**

The following persons have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name Woodland Art Center at 2070 East Main St. Unit K, Woodland, CA 95695:

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Yolo County on Dec. 22, 1995.

George Grant, 255 Cottage Circle, Davis, CA 95616; Heidi Bekebrede, same address.

This business was conducted by Husband and Wife.

/s/Heidi Bekebrede
/s/George Grant

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Date Dec 21, 1998
by: Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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**NOTICE OF VEHICLE LIEN SALE**

Notice is hereby given pursuant to CA Civil Code Sec. 3071 and 3072 that AAA Storage, 226 Dr. Claassen Way, Woodland, will for the purpose of satisfying lien for storage, sell at public auction, at 9:00 AM, the 12th day of Jan., 1999, the following vehicle to wit:

VIN - 916, 1973 AUTOMATE Travel Trailer, 23 ft., CA Lic. KY1820.

Bob Kolak Auction Service
Lic. A-468
Bond #68368965

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec. 21, 1998**
**File No. 98-743**

The following persons are doing business as Woodland Art Center, 1059 Court St., #122, Woodland, CA 95695:

Dino Kristofer Gay, 839 Columbia Dr., Woodland, CA 95695; Victoria Reich, 1059 Court St. #123, Woodland, CA 95695.

This business is conducted by Co-Partners. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/21/98.

/s/Dino K. Gay
/s/Victoria Reich

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec. 17, 1998**
**File No. 98-740**

The following person is doing business as Connect Express Courier Service, 2319 Cezanne Court, Davis, CA 95616:

Cynthia Kay Murphy, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/18/98.

/s/Cyndi Murphy

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Nov 23, 1998**
**File No. 98-694**

The following person is doing business as Nantiques, 30-A Main Street, Woodland, CA 95695:

Paul Mayhew Anderson and Nan Louise Anderson, 1538 Owens Valley Dr., Woodland, CA 95776.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11-23-98.

/s/Nan L. Anderson

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Date: Nov 23, 1998
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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec 7, 1998**
**File No. 98-711**

The following person is doing business as Children's Theatre of Sacramento; Sacramento Children's Theatre; articles of incorp. or Organization number 1373693; 2711 B Street, Sacramento, CA 95816:

Theatre for Children, Inc., incorp. in California, 2711 B Street, Sacramento, CA 95816.

This business is conducted by a corporation. Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed herein.

/s/Buck Busfield
Chief Executive Officer
Theatre for Children, Inc.

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec 15, 1998**
**File No. 98-737**

The following person is doing business as RMC Lonestar, 6601 Koll Center Parkway, Pleasanton, CA 94566:

Lone Star California Inc., incorp. in Delaware, 150 E Ponce de Leon Ave. Suite 450, Decatur, Georgia 30031; California Readymix Inc., incorp. in Delaware, same address.

This business is conducted by a general partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/31/87.

/s/Eric F. Woodhouse, Vice Pres.
California Readymix Inc.

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Nov 20, 1998**
**File No. 98-685**

The following person is doing business as D&D Mass Mailing Services, 855 Riverside Parkway, Suite 40, West Sacramento, CA 95605:

Daniel F. Andrade and Diane G. Andrade, 8243 Summer Falls Cir., Sacramento, CA 95828.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12-5-97. Previous fictitious business name number 9409473 in City of Sacto.

/s/Diane G. Andrade
/s/Daniel F. Andrade

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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 20, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

Dec 30 Jan 6

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC LIEN SALE**

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, in accordance with the provisions of Section 21700 et seq of the Business & Profession Code of the state of California, of public sale of the contents of the storage spaces named below, which consist of misc. personal property, household, garage, hard items, computer parts, misc. items, to satisfy a Landlord Lien. Complete terms and inspection prior to sale which will be held on the 12th day of January 1999 in the County of Yolo, State of California at 2600 Evergreen Ave., West Sac. 95691 at 10:00 AM.

A21 Lupe Ochoa; A24 Buse Trust/Tricia Buse as Trust; A40/A88 David & Frances Schwab; A46 John B. Reed; A52/C41 Rickey Harvey; A56 Joe Gregorich; B32 Ray Hensley; B38 Abanded Items; C24 Glenda Fueston/James A. Degeh Jr.; C52 Anthony C. Martinez; C59/C69 Mike and Eileen Steere; D48 Abanded Items; F6 M. Turner and Jeanine Villarreal; G29 Robin Wood; H19 Carman M. Torres; H100 Penny Lujan.

Bob Kolak Auction Service Lic. A-468

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec. 7, 1998**
**File No. 98-712**

The following persons are doing business as Nepalis And Friends Cultural Association; NAFCA; 1511 Pastal Way, Davis, CA 95616:

Nepalis And Friends Cultural Association, incorporated in LA, 1511 Pastal Way, Davis, CA 95616.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Sept 5, 1998.

/s/Bryan Thoreson
Treasurer
Nepalis And Friends Cultural Association

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Date: Dec 7, 1998
by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Dec 4, 1998**
**File No. 98-707**

The following person is doing business as Riverside Business Park, 1679 Enterprise Blvd., Suite 50, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

SN Properties Partnership, 1121 S.W. Salmon Street, Portland, OR 97205. Partners of SN Properties Partnership include: Jordan D. Schnitzer and Northern Warehousing Inc. Defined Benefit Plan & Trust.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .

/s/Jordan D. Schnitzer, Partner
Northern Warehousing Inc.
Defined Benefit Plan & Trust, Partner

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Nov 19, 1998**
**File No. 98-684**

The following person is doing business as Moon Dancer; M.O. and Associates, 4447 Cowell Blvd. #62, Davis, CA 95616:

Patricia Marie Hogan-Newsome, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11-15-98.

/s/Patricia Marie Hogan-Newsome

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 19, 1998
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk

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**Fictitious Business Name Statement**
**Filed Nov 20, 1998**
**File No. 98-678**

The following person is doing business as TIP; TIP Trailer Leasing, 601 Harbor Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Transport International Pool, Inc., incorporated in Pennsylvania, 426 West Lancaster Avenue, Devon, PA 19333.

This business is conducted by a corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/1/96.

/s/James T. Breedlove, Secretary
Transport International Pool, Inc.

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Nov 20, 1998
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### MOBILE HOMES

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### MISC. FOR SALE

Antique chair, $250. Armoire, 2 door, 6 drawer, $300. Hand carved mammoth bone, temple urn, china, $385. Chipper shredder, 8 hp, sell/trade combo $1200. 371-9273. A-18

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### GARAGE & YARD SALES

MOVING SALE: Kathy Circle in Southport (Linden to Brenda to Kathy) on Saturday, Jan. 2 from 8am-2pm. 20

### HELP WANTED

Parking Enforcement Officer (Temp, PT) for City of West Sacramento. $10.37-12.66/hr. Req's HS dipl or equiv & 1 yr public contact exper. For complete info & City applic, send SASE, indicating position to HR, PO Box 966, W. Sacto., CA 95691. (www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us). FFD: 5pm, Dec. 11, 1998. NO POSTMARKS. WS-15

Maintenance Worker for City of West Sacramento. $2195-2680/mo + bnfts. Req's HS diploma + 1 yr exper. For complete information & City applic., send SASE, indicating position to HR, PO Bx 966, W. Sacto., CA 95691. (www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us) FFD: 5pm, 12/4/98. NO POSTMARKS. EOE. WS-13

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### BUILDING MATERIALS

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### PETS

GOLDEN RETRIEVER PUPPIES, AKC, 8 weeks (as of 12/30), $350. 372-0449. 21

FOUND: black border collie mix near Linden Road. Call 657-6788. 20

### MISC. WANTED

Help keep elderly warm (a community service project). Donated yardage needed for lap covers. Call Arlene, 371-2608. W-14

### PERSONAL

Iglesia De Dios Pentecostal MI will relocate from their existing location (1117 W. Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691) to the Riverbend Shopping Center (928 Sacramento Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95605) effective Dec. 15, 1998. For more information contact Anna Figueroa at 371-2582 or Pastor Salvador Palacios at 375-0537. WS-17-18


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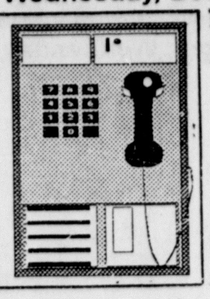
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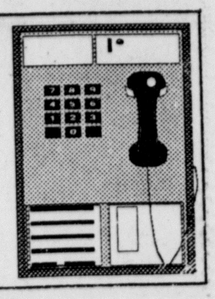
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# Local Scene

## Library Book Sale

The first East Yolo Friends of the Library-sponsored book sale of 1999 will be held on Jan. 16 and 17 in the Community Room at the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library, 1212 Merkley Ave., West Sacramento. Saturday hours will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Sunday hours will be 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sale prices are: $.25 for paperbacks and childrens' books; and $.50 for hardback books. Special books and sets may be priced higher. Sunday is bargain day -- books not sold on Sat. will be hold for $1 per grocery bagful. Donations of gently used books and magazines are accepted at the library year-round. Proceeds from the sales are used to support children's programs, leased bestsellers, the public typewriters and PC, and the audio and video collections.

## Oaths of Office Ceremony

On Monday, Jan. 4 at 11 a.m. in the atrium of the Erwin Meier Administration Building at 625 Court Street in Woodland, the public is invited to attend the taking of the oath of office by the following individuals: Jorge Ayala, County Superintendent of Schools; Dick Fisher, County Assessor; Paul Lester, County Treasurer-Tax Collector; Ed Prieto, Sheriff-Coroner; Cass Sylvia, Public Guardian/Administrator; and Lois Wolk, County Supervisor. The ceremony will also include the taking of the oath of office by the following re-elected officials: Tony Bernhard, County Clerk-Recorder; Sally Franchi, County Auditor-Controller; David Henderson, County District Attorney; William Lebov, Superior Court Judge; and Tom Stallard, County Supervisor.

## Yolo Taxpayers Banquet

The Yolo County Taxpayers Association's Annual Banquet is scheduled for Jan. 16, 1999. The newly-elected Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Jorge Ayala, will speak at the dinner, addressing "Roles and Goals" for his new position. Location for the banquet will be St. John's United Methodist Church of Christ at 434 Cleveland St. in Woodland. There will be a social hour beginning at 6 p.m., with dinner commencing at 7 p.m. Tickets are $25 per person, and include a catered dinner by The Buckhorn. For more information, call Ernie at (530) 756-1115.

## Tipsy Taxi

The Center will offer a "tipsy taxi" on New Year's Eve between 9 p.m. and 3 a.m. to those individuals who need a ride home after drinking alcohol. If you drink, please don't drive! Call 372-3360 and the tipsy taxi will give you a ride home here in West Sacramento. Rides are free, but donations are graciously accepted.

## New Year's Party

A New Year's Eve party will be held by the Bryte VFW Post 9498 at 1708 Lisbon Avenue on December 31, beginning at 7 p.m. with no host cocktails. There will also be music, a prime rib dinner, and party favors. Cost is $13 per person, or $24 per couple. For dancing only, cost is $5. Call Julian or Sue Archuleta at 373-1908 for more information.

## Sacto. Pony Baseball

It's sign-up time for the 1999 Sacramento Pony Baseball season. Registration will take place on Tuesday, Jan. 5 from 6 to 8 p.m. in the gym at Holy Cross School, 1321 Anna St. in West Sacto. Sacramento Pony Baseball serves the youth of Sacramento from the area bounded by the American River on the north, Calvine Rd. on the south, West Sacramento on the west, and Power Inn Road on the east. It is real baseball played on a scaled-down diamond. Players range in ages beginning with nine years. To sign up, please bring a copy of the player's birth certificate, and registration fee. Fees are $100 for the Pony Division (ages 13-14); $90 for the Bronco Division (ages 11-12); $70 for the Mustang Division (ages 9-10); $60 for the Pinto Division (ages 7-8); and $50 for the Shetland Division (ages 5-6). For further information, call Curtis Holcomb at 372-0613, or Jerry Bates at 391-3452. Sacramento Pony Baseball is not affiliated with the Washington Unified School District.

## Parenting Series

Allied Services for Kids will be offering a six-week parenting series for parents with teens ages 13-17 years. The series will focus on coping with your feelings about teen's behavior, effective family communication, understanding the parent-teen relationship, what to expect from teens and understanding their behaviors, teenage stressors and how to help. "Living with Your Teens" will be held each Thurs., beginning Jan. 14 through Feb. 18, 1999, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Holmes Junior High School Library, 1220 Drexel Drive in Davis. The series will be facilitated by Chris Belmer, MSW and Arielle Smith, MSW Student Intern. This program is funded by a grant from the United Way, so there is no fee; however, donations are accepted. For more information or to pre-register, please call 662-2211 or 753-8674.

## Father/Daughter Night

The City of West Sacramento Department of Parks and Community Services presents its fourth annual West Sacramento Father/Daughter Night on Friday, Feb. 5, between 6:30 and 9:30 p.m. at the VFW Hall Post 8762, 905 Drever St. in West Sacramento. This is a very special evening for fathers and daughters of all ages. Enjoy a semi-formal evening, complete with a gourmet catered dinner, a D.J. for dancing to the oldies, and fun activities. Professional photographs will be available for an additional fee. Tickets to this event make an ideal Valentine's Day present; cost is $32 per father/daughter couple; $18 for every additional daughter; and $16 for any daughter under the age of 3 years. Deadline to register is Mon., Feb. 1, 1999. For more information, call 373-5860.

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# Bring your blood to city drive on Jan. 5

**From Kryss Rankin**
**Administrative Aide**
**City of West Sacramento**

The City of West Sacramento will be sponsoring a blood drive for the Sacramento Blood Center on Tuesday, January 5, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The mobile unit will be parked at 2101 Stone Blvd. in the City Hall parking lot.

Blood donations touch the lives of patients suffering from cancer or leukemia, new mothers and babies, hemophiliacs and people with other blood diseases, burn and accident victims, and more. Because each pint of blood can be separated into its various components, each pint can help up to three patients in need.

Giving blood is safe -- you cannot get AIDS or any other disease through the donation process. Sterile needles are used only once and then discarded. Donors must be at least 17 years of age, weigh at least 110 pounds, and be in good health.

For more information or to make an appointment, please contact the City of West Sacramento's Recycling Division at 373-5893.

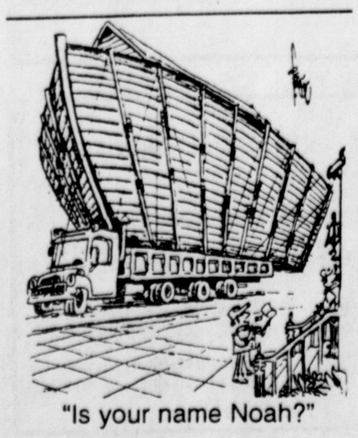
# Music & 'bubbly' at opera house New Year

Just once out of the year the restrictions are thrown off and the venerable grand lady hosts a giant party to ring in the New Year. On December 31, the Woodland Opera House (WOH) will see flowing champagne, elegant performers singing love songs, endless food and dessert, dancing on the stage, and the big countdown at midnight. WOH executive director and party producer, Jeff Kean, comments, "How can we afford to do all of that without going broke? How did I ever get talked into this?" (Alternate quote for the more conservative approach: "We're going to make sure this is another memorable occasion so that this becomes a Woodland tradition."

The evening begins at 8 p.m. with drinks in the third floor lounge. At 8:45, the revels move to the theatre where the cabaret style production will feature WOH favorites: Steve Cairns, Joe Alkire, LuAnn Higgs, and Betsy Taloff, doing songs old and new. The music theme is love in its many disguises and features songs from shows such as South Pacific, Phantom, She Loves Me, Showboat, Into the Woods, My Fair Lady, and many more. After the performance, the stage will be cleared for dancing. At midnight, everyone will gather on the state for the traditional countdown.

Tickets are $30 per person and include drinks, food, entertainment, dancing and all the champagne you want. Leave your money at home as there will be no other charges. Reservations are recommended as space is limited. Young people under 21 welcome with at least one parent at $20 per ticket.

For more information or to reserve your tickets, contact WOH at 666-9617.



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# Answers to Puzzles

## Vision Teasers

Differences: 1. Plant is moved. 2. Remote is bigger. 3. Cap is reversed. 4. Belt is missing. 5. Screen is different. 6. Sleeve is shorter.

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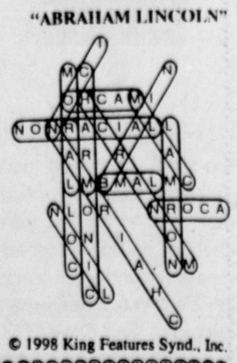
## Sports Quiz Answers

1. Ralph Kiner; 2. Joe Medwick; 3. Don Zimmer; 4. Yogi Berra; 5. Rollie Fingers; 6. Hank Aaron; 7. Rickey Henderson; 8. Pete Rose; 9. Cy Young; 10. Duke Snider

## Answers to Super Crossword

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